Community Payee Services Representative

InterAct is a nonprofit agency providing evidence supported outpatient mental health and substance abuse services with an integrated recovery focus. We are currently seeking to fill a full-time position in our Community Payee Services area which serves over approximately 600 individuals and continues to expand. This position is based in our Kalamazoo office.

Description:

As part of the CPS team work with social security, case managers and other agencies to manage funds for individuals served by InterAct and other agencies.

This is a fast paced, varied position requiring excellent customer service skills, a high degree of accuracy and ability to adhere to procedures and guidelines.

Responsibilities:

- Assist with operation of Community Payee Services program including distribution of funds within established budgets, handling documentation on all transactions.
- Utilize automated Client Fund Management system so that information is current, and individuals' bills are paid in a timely manner.
- Assure completion of reports for Social Security Administration annually for each individual for whom the Agency is designated as representative payee and maintain effective communications with SSA.
- Work with agency clinical staff, other case managers or supports coordinators, individuals served and their representatives to accomplish budgeting goals.
- Demonstrate flexibility to handle various duties within the payee & finance areas.
- Assure compliance with KCMH or other contracts as applies to the representative payee program—including collection of needed data.

Requirements:

An Associate's degree in business or accounting with two years professional experience that includes computerized financial record-keeping. Experience with non-profit business operations and fund accounting desired. Good communication and negotiation skills, excellent organizational ability, strong problem-solving skills, and ability to work independently required in a very fast paced setting.

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